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PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Hess et al.

Application No: Not Yet Assigned

Filed: Concurrently Herewith

For: INFORMATION PRESENTATION AND
MANAGEMENT IN AN ONLINE TRADING
ENVIRONMENT

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SUPPLEMENTAL PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT AND REMARK

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Prior to examining the above-referenced application, the Applicant respectfully requests the Examiner to enter the following amendment and to consider the following remark.